

READ AND RUN.

A Harvard student has returned from a southern trip, bringing with him a live alligator about four feet in length. This he keeps in a tank which contains the College pond water. The Massachusetts Life Insurance Company offers a bounty of \$1000 for the capture of a live alligator.

A correspondent writes that the weather in New York was unusually good on March 13. The weather in New York was unusually good on March 13. The weather in New York was unusually good on March 13.

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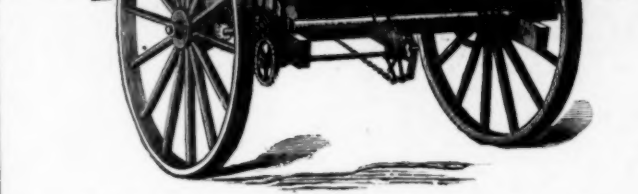
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AGRICULTURAL ITEMS.

Several thousand barrels of American oysters are shipped weekly to Europe. A white robin was recently killed in South Carolina.

Larvae is a profitable forage crop. Duluth, Minn., shipped almost as much wheat last year as Chicago.

The horse belt has been discontinued in Australia and a steel band placed over the horse's nose substituted for it.

Large quantities of tannin are being shipped from Arizona.

It is said the originator of the Concord grape has raised over 20,000 seedlings in the past three years.

The average daily milk supply of the city of Philadelphia is 20,000 quarts.

There are many countries in Tennessee without a wagon road and farmers go about on horseback.

Corn is so low priced in Kansas that the farmers are in doubt whether the corn or the cobs are the most valuable.

By many the Poland Chicks are considered the best breed of hens for general purposes. They are hardy, grow rapidly and are good breeders. They are profitable for all purposes.

Land is very low in price in England, owing to the agricultural depression. Rust in the cereals is caused by earthing it up too wet or too dry.

With greater care and attention the orchards of New England would pay very handsomely for the fruit.

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